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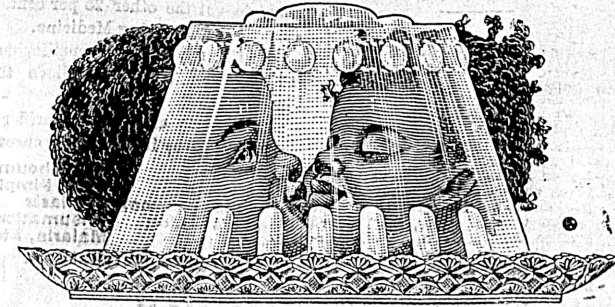
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Changes in Dominion Lands Office—Approve of Referendum.

## MINING SHARES.

The shares in REPUBLIC MINE advanced from 4 1/2 cents on Monday to 13 cents on Friday, with sales as high as 13 1/2 cents. We believe the following stocks will double in price within the next ninety days: Mountain Lion, Black Tail, Lone Pine, Tom Thumb and Quill, as they have all entered into contracts to ship to Granby smelter as soon as the Republic railway enters the camp, which will take place within the next few weeks.

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Q.—How many times a day do you lift the typewriter carriage to see what you are doing?  
A.—I don't know.  
Q.—Have you any idea?  
A.—No.  
Q.—Five times?  
A.—No more than that.  
Q.—100 times?  
A.—More than that, I think.  
Q.—Two hundred times?  
A.—About that I should think.  
Q.—How much does the carriage weigh?  
A.—I don't know.  
Q.—Half a pound?  
A.—At least that.  
Q.—And you say you lift it about 200 times every day?  
A.—Yes.  
Q.—Then that would average for 300 working days about 30,000 pounds? 15 tons, think of it?  
A.—(A long sigh) I suppose so.  
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## Rates Are Reduced

**White Pass and Yukon Railway Accept Terms of the Government.**

**And Arrangement Prevents Company Making the Freight Too High.**

**Macdonald Promises Reduction of Sixty Per Cent on Trans-Atlantic Message.**

From Our Own Correspondent.  
Ottawa, Feb. 14.—The White Pass & Yukon railway company has accepted the schedule of rates prepared by Mr. Lidd, traffic manager of government railways, with the result that there will be a considerable reduction in the tariff of charges. The arrangement provides that if the railway company raises the rates on the 20 miles of the road in territory controlled by the United States, the Dominion government has power to reduce the rates on the Canadian portion of the line or to cancel them if necessary. On the Canadian end of the line running from Bennett to White Horse, 90 miles, the tariff of rates is as follows:  
Class 1, which at present is \$2.85 per hundred weight, has been reduced to \$1.90 per hundred weight.  
Class 2 has been reduced from \$2.84 to \$1.66.  
Class 3, from \$2.82 to \$1.42.  
Class 4, from \$2.80 to \$1.10.  
Class 5, from \$2.75 to 90 cents.  
Class 6, from \$2.74 to 90 cents.  
Class 7, from \$2.73 to 75 cents.  
Class 8, from \$2.72 to 75 cents.  
Class 9, from \$2.71 to 75 cents.  
Class 10, from \$2.70 to 70 cents.  
A government caucus will be held next Tuesday. No date has yet been fixed for the opposition meeting.  
The Marconi company as an equivalent of aid granted by the Dominion government has agreed on the installation of wireless telegraphy, the cost of Trans-Atlantic messages will be reduced by 60 per cent on a new paid for cables and the system will be free for use in connection with the life and property on the St. Lawrence.

## OBITUARY.

Deaths in Various Parts of the Dominion.  
Chatham, Ont., Feb. 14.—(Special)—Chief of Police Wm. Young died today of a complication of ailments. He was 64 years of age. He was appointed chief of police in 1885.  
Cornwall, Ont., Feb. 14.—(Special)—Dr. A. Dixon Wagoner died yesterday morning at Cornwall General Hospital, aged 58 years. Deceased was one of the best known practitioners in eastern Ontario.  
Halifax, Feb. 14.—(Special)—H. F. Eager, a prominent resident of this city, died of paralysis this morning.

## WANTS TO FIGHT.

Fitzsimmons Anxious to Meet Jeffries For Championship.  
New York, Feb. 14.—Robert Fitzsimmons, the former world's champion pugilist, said today that he would accept a proposition made by James J. Jeffries, present holder of the title for a final contest between them, the winner to take 60 per cent, and the loser 40 per cent, of the purse. Fitzsimmons said he was willing to sign articles at any time, and the only stipulation he wished to make was that the winner should have all of the picture privilege proceeds. He thought the fight should take place before the club offering the largest purse.

## EXTENSION MINE.

Will Take Some Time Yet to Flood Workings.  
Nanaimo, Feb. 14.—(Special)—At Extension it is estimated, according to pressure at the stopping in the tunnel, that there are about 24 feet of water in the mine. As 200 feet will be required, it will take considerable time yet to fill it. The lack of rain during the past few days has reduced the inlet to about 2,000 gallons a minute, while at the stopping in the tunnel about 600 gallons a minute is leaking out.

St. Valentine's Day has been celebrated by the Women's Auxiliary of the Nanaimo hospital in the form of a conversation. The opera house was fitted up for the occasion with booths. A promenade concert was given this evening and a dance at the conclusion.  
LOGGERS' PETITION.  
Deputation Will Present It to the Provincial Government.  
Vancouver, Feb. 14.—(Special)—The loggers, who have styled themselves the Lumbermen's association, must to the displeasure of the lumbermen, also style themselves the Lumbermen's association, but who did it first, met last night and received very largely signed petitions requesting the government to repeal the act prohibiting the export of logs to the United States; to change the loggers' license fee from \$100 to \$50, with permission to take up 1,000 acres instead of 640; to adopt the Doyle system of log scaling, and to appoint an inspector of licensed scalers. A deputation will go to Victoria to present the petition.  
Benjamin Allan, of Stratford, is here with the view of establishing a wagon factory.  
Burglars entered the residence of Osborn Plunkett last night while the family were at the theatre, and carried off jewelry and plate said to be valued at \$200.  
The police did very creditable work in arresting a burglar who stole a valise from the Klondike hotel containing \$500 worth of jewelry. The theft took place at 10 o'clock on Wednesday night. The affair was kept very quiet by the police, who were notified very shortly after the robbery. Detectives watched the house and premises all night on the theory that the thief would not have had time to get away with his booty. Next morning at daybreak two men were noticed stealing across the back yard for the lane. One had the valise. He was chased and caught. The other got away. The name of the man who was caught is Ed. Burns, recently arrived from Tacoma.  
The Chicago Symphony Orchestra played to a small but very appreciative audience last evening.

## FROM MINNESOTA.

Five Thousand Farmers Have Decided to Come to Canada.

Winnipeg, Feb. 14.—Word was received today that a party of 5,000 farmers from the State of Minnesota are coming to the State of Canada this year.

THE TERRITORIES.  
Premier Haultain on the Way to Ottawa on Business.  
Winnipeg, Feb. 14.—Premier Haultain and Hon. Messrs. Sifton and Pelly of Northwest Territories government, are again in the city on their way to discuss territorial affairs at Ottawa.

MONTREAL MAYORALTY.  
Proceedings to Unseat Mr. Cochrane Will Likely Be Drooped.

Montreal, Feb. 14.—(Special)—Proceedings to contest the election of Mr. Cochrane as mayor of Montreal will, it is understood, be discontinued. Suit for action was returnable today, and it is expected that no further steps will be taken.

ELECTION FRAUDS.  
Preliminary Investigation and More Arrests Made.  
Montreal, Feb. 14.—(Special)—In the preliminary investigation into the alleged frauds in connection with the recent federal election in St. James division, seven persons were taken into custody. However, the record shows only four votes given for the defeated candidate. Another arrest was made in connection with the case, the prisoner being charged with conspiracy in employing telegraphers.

Debating the Address in Reply  
Premier Says He Expects the Ottawa Session to Be Short.  
And That Government Has No Important Legislation to Introduce.  
From Our Own Correspondent.  
Ottawa, Feb. 14.—The address in reply to the Speech from the Throne was moved today by Mr. Campbell, of West York, and seconded by Dr. Beland, of Beauce. The debate was not concluded tonight, Mr. Bourassa having given notice of an amendment in favor of a definite railway policy to prevent Canadian railways falling into the hands of foreign corporations.  
Mr. R. L. Borden, leader of the opposition, twitted the government with the number of appointments they had made from the House, and invited Mr. Mulock's special attention to the matter. He pointed out noticeable omissions in the speeches, as, for instance, a fast Atlantic service and the Yukon boundary matter. He also referred to the inconsistencies of ministers when discussing tariff questions. In conclusion, he referred in kindly terms to the deaths of Messrs. Doherty, Clarke Wallace and Bell and Lord Dufferin.  
Sir Wilfrid Laurier said it was not the intention to introduce any important legislation. He expected the session to be short. He admitted no progress had been made about a fast Atlantic line and the Yukon boundary matter, but did not consider a settlement of the last mentioned matter hopeless.  
Mr. McLean advocated the nationalization of railways and telegraphs, and then the debate was adjourned.

## SHIPMENTS OF THE BOUNDARY

Two More Mines Have Joined the List—Output For Week.

From Our Own Correspondent.  
Phoenix, B. C., Feb. 14.—Two mines that have not been shipping for some time have recently rejoined the Boundary shipping list, the Snowshoe and No. 7.  
One sent out of Boundary mines for last week amounted to \$124 tons, distributed as follows: Granby mines, 4,687 tons; Mother Lode, 3,160 tons; Winnipeg, 90 tons; Golden Crown, 30 tons; Snowshoe, 60 tons; No. 7 mine, 105 tons.  
Total Boundary shipments for the year to date are 41,916 tons.  
The two Boundary smelters have treated 7,934 tons of ore this week as follows:  
Granby smelter 4,916 tons, Greenwood smelter, 3,018 tons, making a total for 1902, of 42,344 tons.

## KILLED THE WIDOW.

Shot Because She Would Not Marry Her Employer.  
Chester, Pa., Feb. 14.—Robert Kilpatrick, a widower, aged 54 years, today shot and killed Mrs. Edna Baymore, his housekeeper. Kilpatrick returned home yesterday intoxicated, whereupon Mrs. Baymore left the house and went to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Matthews Craft. Later in the day Kilpatrick, (but finding him still under the influence of liquor, she went again to her daughter's house. This morning, Kilpatrick went to Mrs. Craft's house and opened fire upon her. All of the shots went wide of the mark. Then he fired at Mrs. Baymore, a bullet entering her heart and killing her instantly. Kilpatrick was arrested. He said he killed the woman because she refused to marry him, after having promised to do so.

## A GOURMAND'S DEATH.

Sixty-Nine Eggs in an Hour Killed Him.  
Montreal, Feb. 14.—(Special)—M. Leysens, the notorious gourmand, has eaten himself to death. He frequently ate 32 wafers, his achievements including 32 yards of sausage at one sitting, 300 mussels and two pounds of bread at another. The fatal wafer was that he could not eat 70 hard-boiled eggs in an hour. When the time expired Leysens had devoured only 69, and consequently he lost the bet. Shortly afterwards he became violently ill and soon expired.

## Wheeler Is Rude

Kentucky Representative Protests Against the Reception to Prince Henry.

And Says It Is Flunkeyism to Attend King Edward's Coronation.

Mr. Grosvenor Takes Him to Task and Replies to His Criticisms.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 14.—The monotony of a private pension bill in the House today was enlivened by a very sensational speech by Mr. Wheeler of Kentucky, in denunciation of what he denominated "Flunkeyism" to foreign countries. He took the recent statements emanating from continental cabinets regarding the attitude of Great Britain during the Spanish war as a text for a wholesale attack upon the trend of United States diplomacy. He severely scored Secretary Hay and declared that if Lord Pauncefoot had sought, as was alleged, to circumvent us during the war of 1898, the sooner he was shipped across the seas the better. He also criticized the President for his reported intention to send his daughter to the coronation of King Edward, and protested against the official reception of Prince Henry.

There was a sequel to Mr. Wheeler's speech later in the day when Mr. Grosvenor secured the floor and replied at length to what the Kentuckian had said. As to Mr. Wheeler's denial of a statement regarding the visit of the Prince of Wales in 1900, Mr. Grosvenor declared that he personally could bear witness to the truth of his assertion, for he himself had seen the Prince when he first set foot on United States soil. At Niagara as a young man he had said to the Prince's speech, he said, with great interest and attempted to go into a fight with the United States before George Washington died. Just at the time when the American people were to be put to the test whether they were gentlemen, he said, it was most unfortunate that this protest should come against the reception of Prince Henry. The speech of the gentleman from Kentucky would be exploited in Europe tomorrow on the eve of the Prince's departure, the message of United States people to the guest.

Mr. Wheeler interposed at this point to say that he should gladly welcome any gentleman from abroad; what he objected to was the official color to be given to the visit. Then, as Mr. Grosvenor proceeded to read what he said in criticizing the President for making a precedent in connection with the coronation of King Edward, Mr. Wheeler interrupted to say that while he had desired to bring the matter into the discussion, what he had deplored was the report that the President intended to send a member of his family to the coronation.  
"Oh, if it is simply a matter of a young girl going to the coronation of a gentleman and an American," observed Mr. Grosvenor, "I will not pursue it."  
Continuing, Mr. Grosvenor asserted that within his personal knowledge he would say that in sending a deputation to the coronation of King Edward, the present occupant of the White House had simply carried out the plans of the deceased President, who had already selected the head of the commission. If the constituents of the gentleman from Kentucky were polled, he did not think that five per cent would condemn the President.

"So far as the young lady is concerned," he added, "I can tell the gentleman one thing, she would give him a great deal of trouble if she should get into a debate with him as to the propriety of her going." (Applause.)  
Mr. Grosvenor then took up Mr. Wheeler's speech, reading from it the term "Little Dutchman," which Mr. Wheeler had applied to Prince Henry, and his remarks about his indifference to the goodwill of the German people.

Mr. Grosvenor commented upon this language, saying that while the gentleman might be indifferent now as to the good will of the Germans, it would be different later in the fall "when pessimism were ripe." Mr. Grosvenor described at some length the visit of the Prince of Wales in 1900. His tour of the country, the honors showered upon him by President Buchanan, who rushed out of the White House and met him with extended arms, as if he had been a traditional "Prodigal son."

As to the visit of Prince Henry, he was the brother of the German Emperor. He was not a Dutchman, but a European, a German; he was an admiral of the German navy. The same who had been sent to Manila to protect the German interests, and when his ships got in the way, Dewey had informed him that if the ship did not get out of the way in short order there would be trouble. "Then he took it away like a gentleman," remarked Mr. Grosvenor, amid laughter.

## NOTED BREEDER DEAD.

James Drummond, Sr., of Montreal, Does at Good Old Age.  
Montreal, Feb. 14.—James Drummond, Sr., of Petite Côte, one of the best known of Canadian Ayrshire breeders, died, aged 70.

## NBW BANK.

Application to Be Made to Charter Metropolitan Bank.  
Toronto, Feb. 14.—Notice has been given that application will be made to the present session of Parliament for an act to incorporate the Metropolitan Bank of Canada.

TIMBER LIMITS SOLD.  
Toronto, Feb. 14.—The biggest sale of timber limits for many years in Canada has just been made. All the property of Cook Bros. has been sold to Cook and Lamson for \$1,250,000.







## The Kind That Men **A**dmire.

A black and white woodcut-style portrait of a young man with curly hair, looking slightly to the left. The portrait is framed by a circular border with decorative corner elements.

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## THE CANADIAN NORTHERN.

The people of Victoria are greatly in-  
terested in the extension of the Canadian  
Northern to the Pacific Coast, and in  
order to meet their natural desire for  
information respecting it, we shall give a  
few additional facts regarding the route,  
which the line may follow. The value  
of the proposed railway as a through  
line from ocean to ocean is not perhaps  
fully appreciated, but if we take Winni-  
peg as a starting point common to both  
the Canadian Northern and the Cana-  
dian Pacific, we find on comparison that  
the difference between the two lines  
will probably be less than one hundred  
miles. Following are the approximate  
distances according to the best data  
available to the Colonist:

Miles.  
Winnipeg to Edmonton ..... 702  
Edmonton to Yellow Head Pass ..... 240  
Yellow Head Pass to Comox ..... 477  
Comox to Victoria ..... 135

Total ..... 1,644

The distance from Victoria to Winni-  
peg by the Canadian Pacific is 1,561  
miles. It may be that a location survey  
will shorten the distance between Ed-  
monton and Comox. We have taken Mr.  
H. P. Bell's survey between Yellow Head  
Pass and Comox. The estimate of the  
distance between Edmonton and Yellow  
Head Pass was arrived at by scaling the  
distance on the map and adding 10 per  
cent. for curvature. The other distances  
are substantially accurate. Hence it ap-  
pears that the comparative length of the  
two lines from Winnipeg to Victoria is  
such that the character of the gradients  
will determine which of the two will be  
the shorter in point of time and operat-  
ing expenses. These considerations are  
important, because a great many people  
were under the impression that the old  
British Pacific route was very much  
longer than any other line looking to  
transcontinental connection. It may be  
interesting to make a further comparison  
showing how the Canadian Northern will  
compare with the three northern trans-  
continental lines already in operation.  
The towns on the Great Northern and  
Northern Pacific which correspond in  
point of longitude with Winnipeg, are  
respectively Grand Forks and Fargo.  
Here is a comparison of distance:

Miles.  
Victoria to Fargo, N. P. R. via  
Seattle ..... 1,701  
Victoria to Grand Forks, G. N. R.  
via Seattle ..... 1,581  
Victoria to Winnipeg, C. P. R. ..... 1,561  
Victoria to Winnipeg, C. N. R. ..... 1,644

The distances in the case of the first  
three roads above named are official; in  
the case of the Canadian Northern, the  
distance is estimated and is liable to  
reduction after survey. A matter of a  
few score miles is not serious when  
the question of transcontinental trans-  
portation is to be considered. Cost of  
transportation and possible speed are  
more important factors, and from the  
above figures it will be seen how very  
favorable as regards this city the Cana-  
dian Northern will be. It will not be  
handicapped in any appreciable degree in  
point of distance, and it may have im-  
portant advantages that will more than  
overcome the shorter mileage of other  
lines.

We do not care to push comparisons  
too far, or to reason from insufficient  
data, but we do feel quite justified in  
saying that the construction of the Cana-  
dian Northern may, and we are very con-  
fident will, place Victoria on an equality  
with the Mainland Coast cities of the  
Northwest in the matter of transconti-  
nental railway mileage, while our city  
will have the advantage of greater  
proximity to the open ocean and of hav-  
ing less obstructions to navigation, in

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route, with such modifications as may be  
found advisable, is by all odds the most  
important question that can engage the  
attention of the people of Victoria.

## WHITE PASS RATES.

We have to congratulate the Depart-  
ment of Railways and Canals upon a  
bona fide effort to control the rates on  
the White Pass route. Difficulties of no  
ordinary nature surround the subject,  
for a short portion of the railway being  
in the territory in possession of the  
United States, it was impossible for the  
Canadian government to interfere with  
the rates charged on that portion. The  
only thing to do was to hold over the  
company the possibility of a refusal to  
permit any freight charges whatever  
being imposed on the Canadian end of  
the line, which is by far the longer part.  
This is what the government has done,  
and we have little doubt that the com-  
pany will not attempt to defeat the  
agreement that has been reached by  
charging excessive rates on the Alaskan  
end.

The Colonist has always been disposed  
to take as favorable a view as possible  
of the White Pass railway. It recognized  
that the builders of the line took a very  
great risk, and hence were entitled to  
have a wider margin of profit than could  
be tolerated for a moment on any other  
railway, but the time has certainly ar-  
rived when rates must be put at some-  
thing reasonable.

The new rates, which we feel con-  
fident will be acted upon by the company  
in good faith, cannot fail to have a  
very salutary effect upon business in the  
Yukon. It has been contended by some  
that business men did not want the rates  
lowered, because they did not want the  
country to become "cheap," but any idea  
that may have been entertained to this  
effect has ceased to be held by any one.  
What the interests of the Yukon demand  
is rates as cheap as the conditions sur-  
rounding transportation will warrant, so  
that the mining industry of the country  
may be broadened out and not be con-  
fined to the working of only the best  
properties.

## AUSTRO-HUNGARY.

Not very long ago the Austrian Prem-  
ier informed the House of Deputies  
that unless the representatives of the  
people responded more promptly to the  
wishes of the Emperor, the latter might  
find it to be necessary to suspend the  
constitution and set up an absolute gov-  
ernment. This threat leads Pester  
Lloyd to remark that not only in Aus-  
tria but in every country in the world  
the problem of representative govern-  
ment remains yet to be solved. This  
seems a strange doctrine to be advanced  
in the Twentieth Century, but that it has  
been promulgated without very grave ex-  
ception being taken to it is a surprising  
fact. In Austria the threat to set up  
absolutism does not appear to have evoked  
much indignation. This may be be-  
cause the people have already and very  
recently had a brief experience with it,  
and did not find it altogether unsatis-  
factory. The year before last the House  
of Deputies was dissolved and a new  
one was not summoned for several  
months, the Emperor administering af-  
fairs under an article of the Constitution  
which provides for his so doing in cer-  
tain circumstances. Austria has seen so  
much discord that almost any change  
would be welcomed. Her population is  
a motley collection of nationalities. There  
are Germans, Czechs, Slovaks, Poles,  
Ruthenians, Slovenians, Italians, Croa-  
tians, Servians, Romanians and Hun-  
garians. These people do not agree  
among themselves as to what the coun-  
try needs, and they are held together  
in the form of an empire, it is said, only  
by the personal influence of the Em-  
peror. Long ago it was foretold that  
when he died, Austria would go to pieces.  
It is well known that the German Kaiser  
is awaiting such an event with con-  
siderable impatience. He is said to cher-  
ish the idea that the German part of  
Austria will be immediately annexed to  
Germany after the death of Franz Josef,  
while the other portions will become  
hopelessly divided and be incapable of  
any political existence except under the  
protecting wing of the German Empire.  
This state of things presents the most  
serious problem confronting the states-  
men of Continental Europe.

The torch with which Liberty was sup-  
posed to be enlightening the world from  
the entrance of New York harbor is to  
be extinguished. Congress declines to  
pay the electrician's bill any longer. How  
would it do to transfer the Bartholdi  
statue to the Philippines?

The boy king of Spain is said to be  
in very poor health, and great doubt  
exists as to his living long enough to  
marry and have an heir. In such an  
event it is certain that Spain would be  
distracted with political tumult.

We print this morning a report of the  
annual meeting of the Delta Creamery  
company. The facts stated therein are  
exceedingly instructive, and they show  
what can be done by a well-managed  
dairy operated on a large scale. There  
is no valid reason why the conspicuous  
success of the Delta company cannot be  
duplicated in other parts of the prov-  
ince.

Continental critics continue to com-  
plain because the Boer women and  
children are not put up at the best hotels  
in Johannesburg and our troops still re-  
fuse to let the Boer men shoot them  
without firing back. It might be a good  
plan for some German university to es-  
tablish a chair for the purpose of teach-  
ing how war may be carried on in a per-  
fectly lady-like fashion.

The German press is making very  
strong threats as to what will be done  
with Brazil. The origin of the trouble  
between the two countries was the can-  
cellation of certain railway concessions  
to German capitalists, which act was  
done by the president of one of the  
Brazilian states. The German papers  
say that Brazil must be prepared to take  
the consequences of such a breach of  
faith.

The immense sums that are being given  
to colleges has led Puck to publish a  
cartoon suggesting that, if this sort of  
thing keeps on, we shall have men in  
crop and down digging ditches, mixing  
mortar and sawing wood. We do not  
like to be thought reactionary, but it would  
be glad if we could see what is going  
to be the outcome of this tendency to  
educate every one up to the highest pos-  
sible notch. If the next generation of  
boys and girls are all to be college  
graduates, and that is what the case  
looks like now, where shall we get peo-  
ple to till the soil or do other work call-  
ing for the use of the hands?

In the course of some statements in  
regard to the meeting of the House, the  
Times said last evening that the gov-  
ernment holds it to be the English cus-  
tom for the Chairman of the Committee  
of Ways and Means to take the Speak-  
er's chair in the temporary absence of  
the Speaker, such as is inevitable at the  
opening of the session. There is not the  
least doubt as to the English custom on  
this point, which is exactly as stated  
by the Times. In the absence of any pro-  
vision in our own rules, the Chairman  
of Ways and Means would take the chair  
as a matter of course, and we are not  
sure that he may not do so, notwith-  
standing the provisions in our rules. The  
Rules and Orders say that in the ab-

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sence of the Speaker from a meeting of  
the Assembly "a member elected by the  
Assembly may preside until the close of  
such meeting," which seems to refer to  
a single sitting of the House, for the next  
rule provides that the House may elect  
a temporary Speaker in case of the ab-  
sence of the Speaker for forty-eight  
consecutive hours. The rules do not  
direct in so many words what shall be  
done when a session opens with the  
Speaker absent, and possibly in such a  
case the English rule would prevail and  
the Chairman of the Committee of Ways  
and Means would preside. The House  
is, however, the interpreter of its own  
rules, and what it decides must prevail.

New York papers are discussing the  
chances of unknown writers to have their  
productions accepted by publishers, and  
they seem to be of opinion that little dif-  
ficulty need be anticipated on this score.  
But the fact that the question has been  
raised shows that the difficulty is experi-  
enced. The truth of the matter is that  
the publication of what passes for litera-  
ture nowadays is purely a commercial un-  
dertaking. Productions of persons who  
have made a name in literature are  
therefore naturally in demand, because  
the name of the author is an advertise-  
ment of itself; the work is very often in-  
ferior to that of unknown writers. In  
fact some of the stuff that has recently  
been issued by authors of repute is mi-  
serable trash. But the publishers are not  
cultivating the literary taste of the  
public. They are out to make money  
and consequently the name of the au-  
thor, not the merit of the article, is  
likely to sell it. This is not to say  
that the productions of unknown writ-  
ers are never accepted, but only that when  
the choice has to be made between a  
writer who is known and one who is  
very likely to win, even if his work is not  
the best.

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## A Verdict of Manslaughter

Nichols Found Guilty of Lesser Offence—Recommended to Mercy.

Nolle Prosequi Entered in Case of Katchules—Nangle Trial Postponed.

The trial of Frank Nichols for the murder of Tom Netes was continued in the Assize court yesterday, Mr. Justice Walker presiding.  
S. Perry Mills, K.C., addressed the jury on behalf of the prisoner. He read authorities showing cases analogous to that of Nichols, in which the judges had held that the offence was not murder, but manslaughter. He defined the difference between the crimes of murder and manslaughter as set forth in the criminal code, and went on to show that a man threatened with bodily injury or put in fear for his life had a right to defend himself by any means at hand.

AUSTIN HOLME, the first witness called for the defence. He had known deceased, Netes; also knew the prisoner. Some months ago witness and Netes met Frank Nichols on Johnson street. Netes spoke angrily to Nichols, who tried to avoid him. Netes was excited. He had been drinking. He said to witness, "I'll kill that son of a bitch!"

In cross-examination, Mr. McLean failed to show by the witness that he had been kept in town by the defence to give evidence in the case.

KLEON METRO, proprietor of the Maryland restaurant, corroborated the previous witness' testimony. He had sent Horne to see Mr. Mills. Witness and deceased had been partners two years ago. Netes was a quarrelsome man. Witness had preceded him from stabbing a man named Murski. Some months after they dissolved partnership Netes came there and abused witness—he was very rough and loud, and took possession of the place. He was continually quarrelling and fighting. He had known prisoner from childhood. He was always indignant and peacefully inclined. Knew George Katchules for two years. Saw him on November 8. He was in the Maryland about 11 o'clock a.m. Saw him again next day.

Netes was arrested by Chief Langley for threatening to stab the man. Cross-examination, witness said he was not related to the prisoner. When Katchules was in the restaurant on November 8, he said Nichols had sent him into town to get money. He had lost some money and threatened witness with a hammer. Netes frightened witness and took \$30 out of the safe. Witness afterwards got the money back from the police.

On cross-examination, witness said Netes had accused him of robbing him of \$80. Witness laid a charge against Netes, which was discharged by the police magistrate.

DEMETRIOS CHUNGRADES, fish and poultry dealer. Had lived in Victoria 22 years. Knew Tom Netes from boyhood. Saw him very often. He was very quarrelsome, always wanting to fight. He was a big, rough man. Had known prisoner for 12 years. He was a steady, good man. Netes carried iron knuckles and a knife. Witness warned him against carrying these weapons, telling him they would get him into trouble.

On cross-examination, witness said he had had trouble twice with deceased, the first time in 1890. Netes ended to the store drunk and began to growl and call names. Witness, in prevention, last November Netes came to the shop drunk. He said if he did not get \$100 he would go and stab Metro. Witness was interested in the Maryland restaurant. He gave Netes \$100 to keep him quiet. Bought out his share of the restaurant. Next day Netes came back and accused witness of having fooled him and wanted to fight.

Court then adjourned for luncheon.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Tony Alferos, steward in the Maryland restaurant, testified to George Katchules coming there on November 8 and 9. He had had no conversation with him.

VINCANIO PABLO.

This witness could not speak English and Peter Brown was sworn as interpreter.

Witness swore he was a shoemaker, but worked as a laborer. He lived in Victoria for 18 months. Had known

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Tom Netes from childhood. Netes was a drunkard and gambler. When drunk he was quarrelsome. Netes' brother kept a shoemaker's shop in Greece, and on one occasion deceased made a row and was arrested by the police. His brother gave him money to leave the country. Witness took him and his nephew to Athens and shipped them to this country at his brother's request. Deceased, while in Greece, was frequently locked up for drunkenness.

VINCANIO PABLO, JR., son of the previous witness. Witness knew Tom Netes since he was a boy. Netes fought with some soldiers and he stabbed himself in the leg to avoid conscription. He was put in jail. He had trouble again at home. He struck a soldier on the head with a chair. Witness came to Victoria with Netes in 1898. He was always quarrelling. He carried "kettle" dust. Knew the prisoner. He was a good man.

VOUGALE PEPPE, knew Tom Netes for three years. It was a bad man. He was always fighting. Saw him with black eyes three times. He and prisoner had had trouble about the herring fishing. He showed witness iron knuckle rings and said: "If anyone says anything but in me, I have these to defend me." Witness advised him to throw them overboard.

In cross-examination, witness said he had never seen Netes actually fighting with anybody.

CONSTANTINE REGAS knew Tom Netes for about three years. He was a bad man, always in trouble.

FRANK NICHOLAS, the prisoner, was next called. He gave his evidence in English. He lived about 12 years in Victoria. Generally lived in his room in winter. He sometimes lived in a house.

Knew Tom Netes from the time he arrived in Victoria, about four years ago. They were friendly at times, but more frequently were at enmity.

Netes about half-past eight near a Chinese gambling house opposite the Lighthouse saloon on Store street. He said, "You went over and got herring before my brother last year."

Witness said, "Yes."

Netes said, "You got your life last year, but if you do it again you won't be spared."

Witness laughed and said he was going after herring the next morning.

Later in the evening witness met Angelo, and they went to a Chinese gambling house. Netes came in with two others. He was drunk. They stayed there about half an hour. He and Angelo went to the Lighthouse saloon. Netes followed them. They then went to the Telegraph saloon and he followed them there. Then they went to No. 1 Herald street. Witness did not want to go in, as Netes was there. Angelo said, "Come along," and they went in.

Angelo went into the inside room. Witness and Netes sat down in the front room. Netes began talking about the herring again. He said, "I'll fix you when I get you outside."

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ANOTHER IVEY ORDER.

Canadian Customs Official Forced to Move From Skagway to White Horse.

During the rush to the Klondike, a Canadian customs officer was stationed at Skagway to expedite the shipment of Canadian goods through the strip of territory claimed by the United States, to collect duty at Skagway on foreign goods destined for Canadian ports, and also to arrange for the bonding of United States goods from the boundary line at the summit of White Pass to the boundary on the lower Yukon. Thus both Canadians and Americans were benefited. Collector Ivey, who is about to be relieved of his office, with a view of getting a slap at the Canadians, has revoked the order permitting this.

The Daily Alaskan, of Skagway, in its issue of February 5, states:

O. L. Andrews, collector of the port of Skagway, has been notified by Collector Ivey to see that in future the Canadian customs officials collect no more fees for the quarantine and inspection of the stock in Canadian territory. This has, it seems, been held by the Treasury department to be a flagrant violation of the act of sovereignty. Collector Andrews has been moreover ordered to arrest any American or alien who presumed to assume any authority that infringed upon the functions that may alone be performed by the customs officials of the United States Treasury department. Baggage must be shipped through Skagway solely under the supervision of the United States customs officials. All others than United States customs officials must be excluded from the baggage room and be prevented from scaling baggage, cars or freight packages.

It is this order that has caused the removal of Mr. E. S. Busby to White Horse, as from now on all the business done in Mr. Ivey's instructions to Collector Andrews must be done without the confines of the United States.

DELTA CREAMERY.

Annual Meeting Shows Highly Prosperous Condition of Affairs.

The annual general meeting of the Delta Creamery company was held at the Town Hall, Ladner, on Wednesday, the majority of the shareholders being present. The president, Mr. H. N. Rich, was in the chair. The statement of accounts for the past year, which was read and adopted, showed the company to be in a flourishing condition. Notwithstanding some heavy losses from bad debts, the company will pay a dividend of 10 per cent. on the capital stock, and add \$250 to their reserve fund, making \$2,200.

The directors' report showed that \$23,398 worth of butter had been sold during the year 1921; the output of butter had been \$4,157 pounds, sold at the average price of \$27.80 per hundred pounds. The amount of butter sold shows an increase over 1920 of 11 per cent.

The assets of the company over all liabilities are \$24,737.67, each \$10 share being worth \$15.14.

After discussion the directors' report was received and adopted, and a vote of thanks tendered to them, and as a mark of appreciation of the president's services to the company, a sum of \$75 was voted to him.

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## A Verdict of Manslaughter

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Witness said he did not want to fight; only to make a living.

Netes abused him and called him many insulting names.

This woman came and asked them to go out. As soon as they got outside Netes struck the witness. He threw him off the sidewalk and struck him as he lay on the ground, shouting, "I'll kill you! You son of a bitch!" Angelo tried to hold Netes. He said to him, "You go."

Witness ran away. Netes followed him, repeating his threats. He ran as fast as he could. Did not remember meeting Constable Carson. When they got near No. 11 Chatham street, Netes struck him behind the ear and on the arm with something, shouting, "I'll kill you, you son of a bitch!"

Netes took his knife from his pocket and turned quickly and struck at Netes. Did not know he stabbed him. He then ran up Chatham to Government, and along Government to Herald, and down that street to where they had started. He had lost his hat there and went to look for it.

Netes followed him, running after witness struck at him with the knife, and kept shouting, "I'll catch you!" Did not know where Netes fell.

He did not find his hat and went on down to his sloop and put out, as he was afraid of Netes and his brother. Sailed out to Albert Head. Goo, Katchules went aboard the sloop. Katchules was ashore at Albert Head about 3 a.m. and came back about 4 p.m. Witness left

the sloop, intending to come to Victoria, but got lost, and after walking all night in the rain found himself at Beachy bay on Saturday morning. He slept that night in a stable. On Sunday morning he inquired the way to Victoria from a woman and reached town in the evening. Went to Gill's house at Rock Bay. Went into the shed and the policeman came and arrested him. He went to Gill's to get something to eat.

Cross-examined, prisoner said he left his sloop at anchor off Albert Head. Did not attempt to sink it. Had no conversation with the boy Robert McLean on the Saanich road. The boy said "Hello, Frank! Hello, Forty." Did not tell Bob he had sunk the sloop. Bob said there was a reward of \$250 for his arrest. Before he got to Gill's house he saw the chief of police and some constables. Did not fear to give himself up to the police, but he feared Netes' friends.

Witness repeated the story of the fight with Netes and the events which followed, adhering to the facts detailed in his evidence-in-chief.

Witness denied that he, Netes and Angelo had drinks in Stella Cameron's house.

Katchules told witness on Friday evening that Netes was dead. He told Katchules to take the sloop to Victoria, and intended to walk in himself.

EVIDENCE IN REBUTTAL.  
Mr. Mills rested his case here, and the crown called Sgt. Frank Murray, of the provincial police, for the purpose of contradicting Chumrains, but Mr. Mills objected, and the court upheld his objection.

ROBERT McLEAN  
knew the prisoner. Met him on the Saanich road on Sunday, November 10, about 3 p.m. Prisoner asked witness where he lived, and if he would take him

to his house and keep him for a couple of days; then he would go away on a steamer. He said he had sunk his sloop. In cross-examination, witness acknowledged that he had tried to get the reward for Netes' capture. He went home and got his bicycle lamp and came into town and told the police. He thought it was right to do so. It was about 20 minutes after he saw Netes that he reported to the police.

MR. MILLS, K.C.  
McLean was the first witness called, and Mr. Mills addressed the jury in behalf of the prisoner.

In opening his address he said his confidence had increased, for he had not the full knowledge that witnesses for the defence were able to bring forward to show the character of Netes. This is an affray in hot blood, he said, was no premeditation or preconceived malice. It was not conclusively proven that his client struck the fatal blow, for Netes' clothes had not been produced. Netes had wounded himself that he might avoid serving his country. Witnesses had shown the brutal character of Netes, who, conscious of his brutal strength, knives and weapons, for a fight. He threatened to kill Metro, his former partner, unless he gave

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him \$100, and Metro bought him out. He told how Netes made threats to kill Nicholas. Nicholas had always been well spoken of.  
The learned counsel proceeded to argue that all the evidence produced by the crown tended to show that his client had struck at Netes wholly in self-defence. He quoted authorities to prove a man's right to preserve his life when threatened by an assailant having him at a disadvantage. The law said that one under such circumstances should run away from his threatened fate, but if cornered or placed in a position from which there was no escape, it justified him in killing his enemy in order to preserve his own life. The prisoner's statement to the police at the time of his arrest proved that his client had only exercised the right which the law gave to every man. "I stabbed him," he said; "but if I had not, he would have killed me."

He held it as absurd that the case could be found one of murder. The crown had endeavored in the first place to prove that Nicholas was pursuing Netes when the fatal blow was struck; but all the facts elicited and the position of the wounds completely destroyed such a theory.

He concluded by urging the jury to put themselves in the place of the prisoner and ask themselves what they would have done under similar circumstances. He argued that there was no evidence to support the charge of murder, and if they did not acquit the prisoner, they must certainly bring in a verdict of manslaughter.

MR. McLEAN.  
Mr. McLean reviewed the evidence for the crown. He warned the jury to treat Nicholas' evidence as that of a man whose life was at stake and not to be relied upon. It was important to consider that Netes had a fatal wound in his heart, which would effectively prevent his moving from the corner of Chatham street and the alley where he was found by the police. It was impossible that such a thing should occur. He believed that the prisoner overtook Netes on the vacant lot on Government street and there dealt the deadly blows. Again, the prisoner stated that he struck at Netes blindly and was not conscious that he had struck him. Could they believe such a story? Was it possible that he could bury his knife in Netes' heart without knowing that he had struck him? All the facts and inferences went to show that the prisoner's story was untrue. He argued very plausibly that all the events leading up to the murder went to prove that Nicholas was the aggressor.

With regard to the stories of threats alleged to have been made against Nicholas by Netes, Mr. McLean argued that Horne's evidence was not worthy of belief, and was contradicted by another of the witnesses for the defence. He also pointed out that Metro had had trouble with Netes, and was a hostile witness, and other witnesses who had sworn that Netes was always fighting were unable to give a single instance in which they saw him fighting. He concluded that the prisoner's crime was murder, and he urged the jury to bring in a verdict accordingly, unless they had a very strong doubt of his guilt.

THE JUDGE'S CHARGE.  
Mr. Justice Walkem, in summing up the case, said it was one of the most peculiar which had come under his notice, either as a practitioner or since his elevation to the bench. The case was peculiar

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from the small amount of direct evidence produced. He paid a high tribute to the intelligence of jurors in British Columbia and assured the jury that he felt over to the police as the weapon with which he had struck at Netes.

The learned Judge then explained to the jury the difference between murder and manslaughter, and concluded by pointing out that if they believed the prisoner's statement, that he struck the blows in self-defence and without malice or intention to kill, they would find manslaughter. If they were convinced that prisoner struck the blows in defence of his life and while in bodily fear of death, they might acquit him.

THE VERDICT.  
The jury retired at 6:40 p.m., and after an absence of 20 minutes, came into court, when the foreman, Mr. Henry Becker, delivered their verdict as follows: "We find the prisoner guilty of man-

slaughter, and we strongly recommend his Lordship thanked the jury for their patient attention to the case and dismissed them from further attendance.

KATCHULES DISCHARGED.  
Mr. McLean announced that the crown had decided to enter a nolle prosequi in the case of Katchules, indicted as an accessory after the fact to Netes.

Mr. Mills, who appeared for Katchules, moved for his discharge from custody, which the court granted.

In Rex v. Nangle, for assault, Mr. McLean said the crown was not ready to go to trial and the case was allowed to stand over till the next assizes.

Mr. Mills asked that Nangle's bail be reduced, and he will make an application accordingly at 11 o'clock today.

This concluded the business of the assizes and court adjourned. Nicholas will probably be sentenced this morning.

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WANTED—A thoroughbred colt, well trained for cattle. Must be a good dog and cheap. Apply P. O. Box 316. f11

## TO LET-FURNISHED ROOMS.

TO LET—Two large furnished bedrooms, with or without board. 82 Menzies street. f16

BEACON HILL PARK—To let—furnished bedroom and sitting room, with breakfast if desired. Address "F.", Colonist office. f16

COMFORTABLE furnished front rooms, with use of kitchen, if required. 139 Michigan street. f16

TO LET—Housekeeping and front rooms, 60 Douglas street. "K.", Colonist. f14

## TO LET-ROOM AND BOARD.

OSBORN HOUSE—The best family hotel in the city. Terms \$1.00 per day. Large furnished rooms, meal tickets, 21 meals \$1.00. Corner Pandora and Blanchard street, Victoria. Mrs. Phil. H. Smith, proprietress. f16

FOR RENT—Large double room, suitable for two gentlemen or married couple, in good locality, near car. Address A. S., Colonist. f16

WANTED—A few respectable gentlemen boarders, where they may enjoy home comforts, with washing done at home. No. 23 Perry Street, James Bay. f16

## TO RENT-WAREHOUSE.

TO LET—Warehouse on Wharf street, 25x 70. A1 location. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government street. f16

## TO RENT-STORES.

TO LET—Store on Yates street. Apply to Helsterman & Co. f11

## TO RENT-RESIDENCES.

TO LET—That very desirable corner residence known as "Glenora," situated at Stokes, consisting of 160 acres of land, with modern dwelling house, good barns, stables, outbuildings and orchard. Full particulars on application to Helsterman & Co., 15 Government street. f16

## TO RENT-MISCELLANEOUS.

TO LEASE—Gordon Head P. O., four-roomed house, 25 acres of land, eight acres cleared. Apply Wm. Dean, Gordon Head. f12

## BUSINESS CHANCES.

WANTED—A party who knows of shallow diggings yielding 2 to 3 ounces gold per man, wants partner to outfit and secure ground. G. H. M., care Assay Office, 28 Broad street, Victoria. f14

PHOTOGRAPHIC FINISHING BUSINESS—First class opportunity for live man. Bissell & Co., 729 Pender street, Vancouver. f9

## REMOVAL NOTICE.

REMOVAL NOTICE—Miss Kirkwood's Dressmaking Establishment is removed from the Moody Block to 67 Kane St. f11

## EDUCATIONAL.

SHORTHAND SCHOOL—15 Broad Street (opposite J. A. Macmillan), principal. Individual instruction in shorthand, typewriting and bookkeeping. f16

## DRESSMAKING AND SEWING.

DRESSMAKING—Daily or at home. Best references. Give address. 60 North Park St. f9

## SITUATIONS VACANT.

WANTED—Ladies and gentlemen enjoy their evenings at home by making twelve dollars per week. Send your address and two cent stamp to Box 265, London. f16

## LADIES ONLY.

HAIR TREATMENT by electricity. Superficial hair removed by electrolysis. Hours from 2 p. m. to 5, except Wednesdays. 218 Yates street. f16

## ENTERTAINMENTS.

A BACHELOR DANCE will be given in the Public Hall, Metcalfe on the 19th inst. Admission 50c; ladies free. All are cordially invited to attend. f13

## CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

1 CENT WORD ISSUE No Advertisement Inserted For Less Than 25c. 1 CENT WORD ISSUE

## CLAIRVOYANCE.

MADAME RAAB, clairvoyant and locating, gives sittings daily at 23 View street. f11

R. H. KNEESHAW, the well known medium, will give private sittings daily at 150 Chatham street. Public test circles every Thursday at 8 p. m. f11

## LOST AND FOUND.

FOUND—Umbrella, last Wednesday on Jewish Cemetery Hill. Owner can receive the same at Colonist office, by paying for the ad. f16

LOST—A fox terrier puppy, white body, black and tan head. Anyone bringing same to Swiss Cottage, Esquimalt road, will be rewarded. f16

LOST—White collar necklace, between Pemberton road and Scoresby street, following Fort street, Chestnut avenue, Belcher and Cook streets. Leave at Colonist office. Reward. f16

LOST—In the Victoria theatre, on Wednesday night, or on the Beacon Hill car, a gold brooch, with two small birds set with pearls. Finder please leave at Colonist office and will be rewarded. f14

LOST—Near Kane street, on Friday, a small black dog with protruding under jaw, answering to name of Sambo, and to anyone leaving him at 41 Carr street. f12

STRAYED OR STOLEN—Dark chestnut mare, white star on forehead. Anyone found harboring same will be prosecuted. Persons giving information of the above will be rewarded. H. H. Hobbs, Ross Bay, Tel. 422. f9

## FOR SALE-MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR SALE—Portable bake oven. Mrs. Hunt, Rockland avenue. f16

THE BALTIMORE OYSTER AND CHOP HOUSE—(Near Government street), 64 Johnson street. A specialty menu. Oysters, Crabs, Clams, Mussels, Shrimps, etc. Oysters 40c, a plate \$3.00 a gallon. White crabs 50c a night and day. P. H. Croft, proprietor. f13

PIANO FOR SALE—I will sell my new piano at a sacrifice or will rent to reliable party. Address S. S., Colonist office. f5

MEN'S, BOYS' AND YOUTHS' boots and shoes at bargain prices, and your repairing done, at Nangle's, the prize boot and shoe maker, 50 Fort street. Please call. You won't be misled. f23

FOR SALE—Grocery and bakery business. Apply B. K., this office. f16

FOR SALE—A new line of cream, white and string braids; also new designs for silk work, at Mrs. W. H. Adams', 78 Douglas street. f16

## INDIAN CURIOS.

INDIAN BASKETS AND CURIOS—Thousands of them cheap from the Indian Trader, H. Stadhagen, 79 Johnson street. Store closes at 7 o'clock every night. f8

## POULTRY, LIVE STOCK, ETC.

FOR SALE—A mare, sound and gentle, weighing 1200 lbs.; an extra good roadster. Will drive double or single. P. H. f16

WANTED—Driving horse for occasional use for keep. Best of home and feed for month or two. References given. Z., this office. f13

HORSE WANTED—Five to eight years. State price and where. Address "Horse." Colonist office. f13

WANTED—Team farm horses about 1200 lbs. Mare preferred. Apply H. Birch, Thales Island. f13

FOR SALE—Good cow, just calved. E. H. Hobbs, Cadboro Bay. f11

WANTED—600 chickens, any kind, at 18 1/2c Douglas street. A postal card will do. f12

## FOR SALE-TIMBER LIMITS.

2,400 acres, chiefly yellow cedar, \$5,000. For particulars apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, 40 Government street. f16

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## FOR SALE-RESIDENCES.

FOR SALE—On terms, or to let, modern house, central. L. O., Colonist. f14

LIME KILN—Ready for working, together with 160 acres of land and buildings, \$1,800. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Ltd., 40 Government street. f16

## CENTRALLY LOCATED.

\$2100—7-roomed house and lot 60x120, on main thoroughfare and only 10 minutes from center of the town. Front and back entrance. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Ltd., 40 Government street. f16

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\$1000—Pretty cottage, corner lot, good garden and lot 55x120, in good condition. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government street. f16

\$2,200—Good six-roomed cottage, near Dallas road; nice view of the Straits; modern conveniences. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government street. f16

\$3,750—Handsome modern residence and large water lot, only 15 minutes from post office; well located and in good order. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government street. f16

\$2,300—Seven-roomed dwelling, modern in every respect; good stable and out-houses; lot 54x150; very convenient to town. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government street. f16

\$800—A choice of two cottages, almost new, five rooms; rented at \$8 each. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government street. f16

\$3,600—Modern eight-room dwelling, with two full-sized lots, tennis court, etc.; beautiful view; located on B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government street. f16

\$1,200—Cottage, five rooms, bath, etc.; full-sized lot, facing south; terms. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government street. f16

\$2,100—Modern cottage, six rooms, full-sized lot; good locality. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government street. f16

\$2,000 will purchase four houses, always rented; must be sold to close an estate. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government street. f16

\$800—Corner lot and two 5-roomed cottages (\$800 each); will be sold on very easy terms. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government street. f16

## EAST END.

\$2,100—Seven-room modern dwelling, stable and outbuildings, on four lots, at Oak Bay. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Ltd., 40 Government street. f16

\$1,800—Five-roomed cottage, good brick foundation, with two full-sized lots and outbuildings. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government street. f16

\$1,450—Cottage of six rooms, one acre; all cleared and planted with small fruits; barn, chicken houses, etc.; terms. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government street. f16

\$1,600—New six-roomed cottage, with four lots, all built, etc.; a bargain. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government street. f16

## WEST END.

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\$2,000—Six-roomed cottage, well situated, one acre of ground, stable, out-houses and orchard; a bargain. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government street. f16

THE ARM—Seven roomed modern dwelling, well situated, over two acres of land, large frontage on road and water. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government street. f16

\$2,800—Esquimalt Road—Seven roomed modern cottage, electric light, one acre of ground, lawn and orchard. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government street. f16

\$3,000—Six-roomed dwelling, two acres under cultivation, stable, orchard, lawn, etc.; cheap. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government street. f16

## FOR SALE-REAL ESTATE.

HEXWOOD ESTATE—The prices of the lots running from Fort to Belcher street have just been very materially reduced, and we are now prepared to offer lots 55x105, for \$600. This is one of the best residential localities in the city, and lots at this price are a bargain. We are also offering the property near the Point at a great reduction. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Ltd., 40 Government street. f16

\$200 will purchase a nice lot in Victoria West, ready for building upon. Many lots at higher prices and in good localities. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Ltd., 40 Government street. f16

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\$700—Very nice full sized lot on Humbolt St., near Fort Street, facing south. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government street. f16

FOR SALE—Two water-front lots, Head Street, for half value. W. K. R., P.O. Box 62. f16

\$650—Lot on Vancouver Street, near Richardson, must be sold to close an estate. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government street. f16

\$2,500—Almost an acre of cleared ground in the center of the city (cheapest in the city). Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government street. f16

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FOR SALE—Beautiful building site, commanding fine view of the Straits (three lots), for \$1,000. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government street. f16

ESQUIMAULT ROAD—Two acres of ground fronting on Esquimalt Road, well located. Must be sold to close an estate; only \$1,400. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government street. f16

JAMES BAY—Several nice building lots in a good locality, from \$100 upwards. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government street. f16

\$200—Corner lot, Fernwood Road, 64x134. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government street. f16

\$2,600—Half lot, very central and in good locality. Apply B. C. Land & Investment Agency, Limited, 40 Government street. f16

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FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Some city property for 12 1/2 acres fine land in town of Comox. Apply James Townley, Rice Mill Building, 64 Store Street. f16

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## THE WEATHER.

Meteorological Office,  
Victoria, Feb. 14—8 p. m.  
The barometer has fallen  
considerably over the Pacific  
slope, since yesterday, and is  
lowest off Vancouver Island.  
Rain is falling from this  
southward to California, and  
the easterly winds prevail  
off Cape Flattery. Snow is  
reported at Kamloops, and 35  
inches has fallen at Winnipeg yesterday.  
The weather in the territories is  
comparatively mild and fair.

|                 | Min. | Max. |
|-----------------|------|------|
| Victoria        | 34   | 40   |
| New Westminster | 33   | 40   |
| Kamloops        | 26   | 34   |
| Barkerville     | 16   | 28   |
| Calgary         | 6    | 14   |
| Winnipeg        | 4    | 26   |
| Portland, Ore.  | 42   | 62   |
| San Francisco   | 50   | 58   |

For 24 hours from 5 a. m. (Pacific time),  
Saturday:  
Victoria and vicinity: Increasing easterly  
or southerly winds, unsettled and mild,  
with occasional rains.  
Lower Mainland: Light or moderate winds,  
chiefly easterly, unsettled and mild, with  
rain.

VICTORIA DAILY RECORD.  
Report for 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Observations taken daily at 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m.

|         | FRIDAY, FEB. 14. |
|---------|------------------|
| Deg.    |                  |
| 5 a.m.  | 41               |
| 10 a.m. | 43               |
| 5 p.m.  | 43               |
| Lowest  | 41               |

The velocity and direction of the wind  
were as follows:  
5 a.m. .... 6 miles north.  
10 a.m. .... 8 miles west-north-east.  
5 p.m. .... 4 miles north.

Average state of weather—Cloudy.  
Rain—0.5 inch.  
Barometer at noon—Observed—29.682  
Corrected—29.703

NEW WESTMINSTER.  
Barometer at 5 p. m.—Corrected—29.78

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2100 Main St., Montreal, P. Q., will  
send you free of cost all the newest  
designs.

## MARINE NEWS.

Astoria—Arrived, Feb. 13, Br. ship Star of  
Germany, from Tahiti. Sailed, Br. ship  
Queenstown, for Seattle, Feb. 14.  
Forest Home, from San Francisco. Sailed,  
schr. Comper, for San Francisco.  
Yokohama—Arrived, Feb. 12, Br. ship  
from Glasgow, Singapore, etc. Sailed,  
Yokohama—Arrived, Feb. 11, Br. ship  
from Tacoma for Hongkong.  
Seattle—Arrived, Feb. 13, U. S. revenue  
cutter Grant, from Port Townsend; str.  
Aztec, from Port Los Angeles; Feb. 12, Br.  
ship Falkirk, from Seattle; Br. ship Cambrian,  
from Carlsbad, Sailed, str. Assenion, for  
San Francisco; Feb. 12, Br. ship Celtic Queen,  
from Queenstown.  
San Francisco—Sailed, Feb. 13, str. Thyra,  
for Portland; str. Carina, for Seattle; str.  
G. C. Lindauer, for Grays Harbor; str. Pro-  
gresso, for Seattle; str. Ivy for Coos Bay;  
schr. Parkersburg, for Coquille River.  
Port Landau—Arrived, Feb. 12, str. J. M.  
Colman, Capt. Peterson, from Port Gamble  
to complete cargo for San Pedro.  
Yokohama—Arrived, Feb. 13, Empress of  
Japan, from Vancouver and Victoria, B. C.,  
for Kobe, Shanghai and Hongkong.  
Hongkong—Sailed, Feb. 13, Empress of  
Victoria and Vancouver, B. C., via  
Shanghai, Nagasaki, Kobe and Yoko-  
hama.  
The Marine Exchange reports the fol-  
lowing:  
Seattle—Sailed, Br. str. Algon, for Manila.  
Arrived, str. City of Seattle, from Skagway.  
Port Townsend—Arrived, Feb. 12, Br. ship  
Kensington, for Quartermaster harbor, at  
5:30 p. m. Outward, str. Rainier, from  
Port Hadlock for San Francisco, Feb. 13.  
Br. ship Java, at 8 a. m.; Br. ship Knutuck  
from Singapore, at 9 a. m.; str. Queen,  
from San Francisco, Outward, Br. ship  
for quarantine station, at 10:40 a. m.  
Br. ship Inverkip, from Inverkip for Port  
Townsend, spoken last Monday, 103 miles  
west of Cape Flattery. Outward, str. Alice  
Cook, from Port Gamble for Honolulu.  
San Francisco—Sailed, Feb. 13, str. Car-  
lina, for Seattle; str. Progresso, for Seattle.  
Seattle—Sailed, Feb. 13, str. Thyra, for  
Portland; str. Carina, for Seattle; str.  
wind, eight miles. Outward, Br. ship Celtic  
Queen, from Tacoma for United Kingdom.  
Inward, Nor str. Titania, from San Fran-  
cisco, at 2 p. m.  
Port Gamble—Sailed, Feb. 13, str. John  
G. North, for San Francisco; Br. ship  
Tide Wave, for San Francisco; str. Alice Cook,  
for Honolulu; str. Knutuck, for San Pedro.  
Tacoma—Arrived, Feb. 13, Br. ship Java.

The salmon-laden ship Rainbow was  
towed to the Royal Roads from the Fraser  
last night by the tug Albion.  
Steamer Wyndfield sailed from Comox  
yesterday with a cargo of coal for San  
Francisco. The steamer Titania,  
which has been tied up at San Francisco  
undergoing a overhaul, passed up to  
Nanaimo in the early morning hours of  
yesterday to load coal.

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into the future and see the condition  
to which your cough, if neglected,  
will bring you, you would seek relief  
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Shiloh's  
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A despatch from lighthouse-keeper W.  
P. Daykin, of Carmanah point, the first  
since the wire went down during the  
heavy gale of Christmas night, an-  
nounces the finding of several cases of  
salmon, which bore no marks of identifica-  
tion. The finding of these cases of  
salmon will no doubt add to the unplea-  
sant caused for the salmon-laden ship  
Red Rock, a life buoy and some cases  
of salmon from which were found at  
Clayoquot as reported in these columns  
some time ago. The buoy, which was  
found by a settler living on a ranch  
facing Long Beach, was marked "Red  
Rock, Glasgow," and was plainly from  
the salmon ship which sailed from this  
port on November 29 for Liverpool with  
\$4,800 cases of salmon. It was seen by  
officers of the survey steamer Egeria  
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found near Long Beach, and now  
comes the news from Carmanah Point  
that several cases have also been found  
near there. None of the salmon cases  
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has been found from the Red Rock, and  
that the vessel sailed just prior to the  
heavy gale of December 31, in which  
both the collier Mattheawan and the war-  
ship Condor are believed to have been  
lost, causes the finding of salmon to be  
connected with the Red Rock, which  
was in all probability badly bur-  
feted by the heavy storm, and—was  
the salmon ship Ardnamurchan the year  
before—probably jettisoned some of her  
salmon. Or it may be that as is often  
the custom there were some few cases  
of salmon in one of her deck houses, and  
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The arrival of the Red Rock will no  
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